## REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Berret, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported unfavorably,

House bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to pay for land that may be acquired for the extension of the lands of the Maryland House of Correction.

Which was adopted.

Also, unfavorably,

House bill entitled an Act to empower the Directors of the Maryland House of Correction to purchase or condemn land and improvements for the extension and enlarging of the lands of said Maryland House of Correction.

Which was adopted.

Also, favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to repeal and re-enact. with amendments section 12, of Article 56, of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Licenses," sub-title "Brokers," relating to stock brokers.

Which was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Also, favorably,

Senate bill entitled an Act to appropriate a sum of money to aid in the purchase of free books for the scholars of the public schools of the State of Maryland.

Which was read a second time.

Also, favorably,

House bill entitled an Act to provide for the payment by the State for certain debts contracted by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company during 1887, 1888, 1889 and 1890, for labor and raw material and for the assignment of the same to the State.

Which was read a second time, and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Also,

Senate bill entitled an Act to establish an Asylum for the Insane of the State of Maryland.

Which was read a second time.